

Football Champion of Pacific Coast Changes Attitude and Offers

CALIFORNIA ASKS BIG THREE TEAMS FOR GAME IN 1921

Pacific Coast Football
Champion Suddenly
Changes Attitude.

ACCEPTANCE IS UNLIKELY
Harvard, Yale and Princeton
Schedules Are Com-
plete.

BERKELEY, Cal., Jan. 15.—Requests for a football game in the East against the University of California eleven on October 22, 1921, were telegraphed from here to-day to Yale, Harvard and Princeton by Luther Nichols, California graduate manager. Nichols said the first of the three teams to reply favorably would be accepted.

Dr. David P. Burrows, president of California, has sanctioned the trip. It was announced. When the Eastern game is arranged the 1921 California schedule will be completed and announced.

California's team last season won the Pacific Coast Conference championship, and defeated Ohio State University, Western Conference title holder, at Pasadena, Cal., on New Year's day, 28 to 0. "The matter of maintaining scholarship standards and going East to play one of the big teams will be entirely up to the team members," Dr. Burrows said. "I am given sufficient and binding guarantees that there will be no shrinking of studies the team may go."

"This is the chance we have been looking for," Andy Smith, the former Pennsylvania player, who is California head football coach, said today. "We always wanted to play one of the big fellows in his own territory."

"I place no great faith in the climate proposition and the difficulties encountered by a visiting team in getting used to the weather. Players travel all around the world without losing their punch. Football teams should be able to travel without losing their 'kick.' We will take a chance with the climate."

Late to-night it was announced that neither Yale, Princeton nor Harvard will be able to meet the University of California in a football game October 22, according to telegrams received from their athletic authorities in response to applications for a game in the East telegraphed from the local institution this morning.

RUTGERS SWIMMERS TO MEET M. I. T. TEAM New Brunswick Collegians Have Strong Squad.

Special Dispatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.
NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Jan. 15.—A meet with the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been added to the Rutgers swimming schedule for this winter, according to an announcement made to-day by Assistant Manager O'Dair. The date has not yet been fixed.

Rutgers has plenty of excellent material for this year, including Leo Geibel, who was a member of the American Olympic team, and only Carl, who has been lost from last year's squad of "fish."

The basketball squad at Rutgers is without the services of Frank Hill, coach, who is confined to his home by illness. "Carl" Hill, captain of last year's team, who is a student at the New Brunswick Theological Seminary this year, is taking Hill's place until he returns. The team has made an excellent start this year with three straight victories, and is out to defeat New York University, the only team which defeated it last year and which just moved out for the national amateur championship.

Indoor track work has been started with a squad of about forty men. The regulars of last year's team were sent to Newark once a week all winter for practice on the big armory track there, as the college gymnasium does not afford them with the facilities that a team will work out here at home and will be entered in the intercollegiate if it shows promise. The cost of maintaining the team is prohibitive in view of the fact that it is not a drawing card.

The resignation of Llewellyn Pratt as baseball manager for the coming season has been accepted by the board of managers of the college. William Russell, present assistant manager, has been designated as acting manager for the coming season. He will be manager in 1922 also. Pratt's resignation was made because he felt that his college work will be completed at the end of the present term.

The baseball schedule for 1921 has not been completed as yet, but it is expected that this will be announced shortly. A number of good games are promised.

LAFAYETTE NINE'S SCHEDULE.

Special Dispatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.
EASTON, Pa., Jan. 15.—Lafayette's varsity baseball team will play twenty-four games this spring. Donald Laubach, manager, has arranged the schedule with the idea of meeting the strongest teams in the East, so that if Lafayette is successful there will be no doubt as to the mythical champion of the East.

Last season Georgetown, Holy Cross and Lafayette were regarded as the leading teams. By meeting these teams, he hopes to settle the claims because the teams did not meet. This spring Lafayette will play two games with Georgetown and one with Holy Cross.

The schedule follows:
April 8, Princeton, away; 9th, Dartmouth, home; 10th, open; 11th, Georgetown, away; 12th, Navy, away; 13th, West Point, away; 14th, New York University, away; 15th, Bowdoin College, away; 16th, Williams, away; 17th, Holy Cross, away; 18th, Lafayette, away; 19th, open; 20th, Lafayette, away; 21st, open; 22nd, Lafayette, away; 23rd, open; 24th, open; 25th, open; 26th, open; 27th, open; 28th, open; 29th, open; 30th, open; 31st, open.

A. A. WRESTLING TOURNAMENT.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 15.—The National Amateur Athletic Union's annual wrestling tournament, which will be held in Los Angeles April 7 and 8, according to announcement of the U. A. U., president of the body, to-day. Mr. Weaver, president of the U. A. U., said that all sectional bodies of the union.

Will Be Heard at Garden Poultry Show

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PHOENIX

BEARDED
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MALE

WHITE ORPINGTON HEN

"Glad Hand Boys" Are
New Harvard Novelty

Special Dispatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 15.—

There is going to be no "cold

shoulder" for visiting athletes

at Harvard this year. New comers

which might apply to them "the

"glad hand boys," has just been ap-

pointed by the student council to

meet the visiting teams at the

entrances to the stadium. These

boys, of which Charles W. ("Sonny")

Baker of New York, candidate for

the hockey team, is chairman, is

made up of twelve students, all of

whom are members of the Harvard

Yacht Club. The committee is

composed of the following: Charles

W. Baker, chairman; Joseph Laroque

of New York; Joseph Laroque of

Barnstable, N. J.; and Bradley

Nash of Brookline.

A committee on freshman activities

appointed by the council is composed

of Ned Beagle of Boston, hockey

captain; Lewis McCagg of New

York, who heads the crew; Charles

Schell of Hartford, Conn., varsity

quarterback; Joe Flint of Boston,

candidate for goal tender on the

hockey team, and T. Redmond

of New York, who is acting as

manager, who is acting as chairman.

team lives, trains and plays its games

within less than a dozen miles of San

Francisco, where all through the sum-

mer many an office man wears woolen

underwear and an overcoat in order to

be comfortable.

There is climate and climate.

"There is a world of difference be-

tween Southern California climate and

the climate in the East," said a San

Francisco. Let us, therefore, concede

the point that any such temperature as

at Pasadena on New Year's Day as we

mentioned in a recent New York news-

paper article, must have been even more

annoying to the Berkeley boys than

the cold coming from Central Ohio or

the Atlantic coast.

"Some of our Eastern critics have natu-

ally made a seemingly logical sugges-

tion that the big East vs. West game, in

future years be played in the East, and

California men thus having the handi-

cap of the long transcontinental trip. We

venture that the Western crowd will be

"rarin' to go." If this is put up to them,

but the old fellows must be settled first.

In the last of the New York news-

paper article, the California team, play-

ing this old Eastern game, as inferred

from a New York writer recently, could

outclasses a Middle West or so-called

Eastern team, does it speak well of the

modern gridiron game, as now

played on this side of the Mississippi?

As to the Long Trip.

"We have seen the old repeated state-

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